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## J. D. SHAW RESIGNS AS CASHIER

Of The Farmers Bank & Trust  
Co. Z. C. Hendrick Elected  
To Succeed Him.

On Saturday Oct. 12th, J. D. Shaw resigned his position as Cashier of the Farmers Bank & Trust Co., to accept a responsible position with the American-Southern National Bank of Louisville, Kentucky, and Z. C. Hendrick was elected to succeed him.

Mr. Shaw was active in the organization of this bank sixteen years ago this month and has been its manager and cashier since said time. Mr. Hendrick has been the Assistant Cashier for the past eight years. Mr. Hendrick is recognized as one of the best bankers in Breckinridge county, having frequently refused flattering offers from other banking institutions. He is familiar with every detail of the banking business and the public has every assurance that the welfare of the bank and the interest of its patrons will be carefully and faithfully conserved in the future as in the past.

Following is the resolution of the Board of Directors adopted at its meeting.

Whereas: J. D. Shaw, Cashier of the Farmers Bank & Trust Co., tendered his resignation on the 7th, inst. which was accepted by the Board of Directors at a meeting on Oct. 12th, he having been tendered a responsible position with one of the big banking institutions of the city of Louisville, and

Whereas Mr. Shaw was the moving spirit in its organization and has been continuously identified with the bank as its cashier and manager since said time.

Therefore be it resolved; on behalf of the officers, stockholders and patrons, that we do hereby express our hearty thanks and gratitude to him for his long untiring efforts and faithful conscientious service to this institution under whose management this bank has been placed upon a firm foundation and has grown to be one of the strongest and most progressive financial institutions in Western Kentucky. While we regret to lose Mr. Shaw, our good wishes and that of the community go with him, for his continued success in his new sphere.

Done by order of the Board, this Oct. 12th, 1918.

Signed,  
Matthias Miller, President,  
A. N. Skillman, Director,  
L. B. Reeves, Director,  
W. S. Ball, Director,  
J. L. Mattingly, Director,  
Huse Alexander, Director,  
A. C. Glasscock, Director,  
A. R. Kincheloe, Director.

## REV. DR. SAM MILLER DIES OF INFLUENZA.

The Rev. Dr. Samuel M. Miller, one of the most prominent ministers of the Louisville Conference died Monday of pneumonia at his home in Owensboro where he had been in charge of the Settle Memorial church for two years.

Dr. Miller was stricken with influenza while attending the Conference in Madisonville and after coming home double pneumonia developed. He was forty years old and survived by his widow and one daughter.

## SOLDIER BURIED HERE SATURDAY

William Ahl Died in Camp  
Custer of Influenza.  
23 Years Old.

The funeral of William Ahl the twenty-three year old son of Mr. Sam Ahl of this city was held from the residence, Saturday afternoon and the burial took place in the Cloverport cemetery, he being the first soldier to be buried there during this war. Services were in charge of Rev. J. S. Henry.

Pvt. Ahl left this city sometime ago. He had been in the army several months and was stationed at Camp Custer, Mich. His death was caused from the Spanish influenza. Besides his father, he leaves one sister, Mrs. John Kelly of Rockport, Ind.

## LIVED TO SEE FIVE GENERATIONS.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ashcraft Hendricks age 91 years and a life long resident of Meade county died at her late home near Guston, Ky., Sept. 28, and was buried in the Sandy Hill cemetery the following Sunday.

Mrs. Hendrick was the widow of Robert E. Hendrick and the mother of eleven children eight of whom are surviving. They are: Mrs. Mildred Simmons and Mrs. Garner Wilder of Oklahoma, Mrs. Bettie H. McCall of Louisville, Misses Lucy and Hannah Hendrick of Guston. Three sons, G. F. Hendrick of Oklahoma, Dr. J. T. Hendrick of Webster and J. A. Hendrick of near Guston.

Mrs. Hendrick lived to be a great, great, great grandmother.

## LINEN SHOWER FOR RED CROSS A SUCCESS

Response Was Generous Both  
In Money And Linens. Mrs.  
E. G. Bailes Chairman.

Mrs. E. G. Bailes, who was chairman of the committee in soliciting for the Red Cross Linen shower, was especially well pleased with the hearty response in which the people of this place met the solicitors of her committee, who were: Mrs. Henry May, Mrs. C. G. Brabant and Miss Carrie Tucker in the East End. Mrs. James Tierney, Mrs. Wm. Hoffious, Mrs. Lizzie Rafferty and Mrs. Wardfield Collins in the West End. Mrs. J. Procter Keith and Mrs. Jesse Baucum of the Hill.

The solicitors collected \$37.50 in money which Mrs. Bailes used in buying linen and with the linen that was donated she sent off 35 sheets, 104 bath towels, 72 hand towels, 92 table napkins and 127 handkerchiefs. All of the linens were laundered ready for use before being shipped.

## CHURCHLESS SUNDAY OCT. 13

Churches Of All Faiths Closed  
Likewise Schools, Clubs  
Open Air Service.

Sunday, Oct. 13, 1918 will be remembered as a churchless Sunday not only in Cloverport but all through the State and in many other states as well. Owing to the Spanish influenza the churches of all faiths were closed by order of the State Board of Health, consequently there was no public worshiping inside the churches but an open air prayer meeting lasting thirty minutes was conducted by Rev. A. N. Couch and Rev. W. O. Rickard at 10:30 o'clock. Only a few attended it as it was not generally known. In all probability there were many homes where family devotion was observed at the church hour. The day had little social visiting either as this is disapproved by the Board of Health.

Until further notices from the Board the Cloverport Public school will remain closed, likewise the churches, and the women's clubs. The crowds at the post-office during the evening mail have not been allowed to congregate in the lobby of the office as they have done heretofore.

The exact number of "flu" cases is difficult to obtain, but every now and then when one is passing along the residence streets they are liable to see more than one window with "Influenza" cards in them and these were not evident at all last week. While the cases have been genuine, none have been fatal thus far and it is generally believed that the epidemic can be checked to a very great extent in this vicinity.

## Why Another?

"You say you love my daughter?" "Love her my dear, sir! Why, I would die for her. For one soft glance from her lovely eyes I would throw myself from yonder cliff, and perish." "Indeed! Well, I'm something of a liar myself, and I fancy one is enough in a small family like mine." —Cartoons Magazine.

## MR. L. C. PAYNE OF HARDINSBURG SUCCUMBS

After Lengthy Illness. Life  
Long Farmer. Leaves  
Six Children.

Hardinsburg, Oct. 12. (Special)—Mr. Lewis C. Payne, a farmer whose home was two miles South of Hardinsburg, died at one o'clock Saturday morning, Oct. 5, after an illness of two and a half years. Mr. Payne was a constant sufferer and his death was momentarily expected. With him at the last were his widow and six children; two daughters, Mrs. Chas. Kabrich of North Madison, Ind.; and Mrs. James Waggoner of Louisville. Four sons, Virgil Payne of Decatur, Ill.; Clarence Payne of Hardinsburg; Marvin Payne of Mitchell, S. D.; and Frank Petty Payne of Camp Zachary Taylor.

Mr. Payne was sixty-five years old. Since early in life he has been a member of the Methodist church. His membership at present was with the Southern Methodist church at Kirk, Ky. He was a firm believer in the Creator and often remarked during his illness, "That he had fought a good fight and kept his faith."

On Feb. 21, 1877 he was married to Miss Julia DeHaven daughter of the late Mr. Houston DeHaven and Sallie Ann Skillman DeHaven both of whom were widely connected and well known. Mr. Payne was a life long farmer and he had a host of friends and relatives whose company he greatly enjoyed while he was ill.

## Rheims.

Deliverance of Rheims completed; freed from shell fire after four years. —The news.

Scared by a ruthless conqueror's heel, Torn by the lust of the foe, Rheims is the City of Desolate Waste, Of silence, of ruin, of woe.

Marking the Rheims where heroes fell To check the Hunnish band, The naked stones in her sacred soil, As monuments will stand.

M. J. A.

## Man 63 Years Old Marries a Girl 19.

The marriage of Mr. M. D. Daugherty of Woodrow, Ky., and Miss Lena Whitworth was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Whitworth of Custer, on Wednesday, Oct. 9.

The groom who is 63 years old has been a widower two times and his present wife gave her age as 19.

## Have Added a Posting Machine.

Miss Schubert of Louisville, representing the Burroughs Adding Machine Co., spent part of last week in the Breckinridge-Bank of Cloverport transferring the bank's accounts and installing its new Burroughs Posting machine.

## Rev. Keenan Changed Pulpits.

Rev. J. Talbert Keenan, who has been serving the Andrews Methodist Episcopal church at Grafton, W. Va., has been changed and sent to the First Methodist church in Weston, W. Va. Rev. Keenan is well known here as he was born and reared near Cloverport.

## NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.

All parties who have not listed their property please see me or one of my deputies in their districts and do so at once. If all property is not listed before Oct. 31, 1918 property owners will have to see me in Hardinsburg after that date. (Signed) S. E. Wilson, Commissioner.

## Mr. John Black Follows Wife in Death.

In a very short while after the remains of Mrs. John Black had been interred in the Cloverport cemetery, Saturday afternoon a message came here to Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Berry, Sr., bearing the news that their son-in-law, Mr. John Black had succumbed to the Spanish influenza at the City Hospital, Louisville. His body was brought here Sunday and Monday afternoon the funeral service was held from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Berry. Services conducted by Rev. W. O. Rickard. He was buried beside his wife in the Cloverport Cemetery.

## TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND STOCKHOLDERS

Of The Farmers Bank & Trust  
Company Hardinsburg  
Kentucky.

I hereby tender my resignation to you as Cashier of the Farmers Bank & Trust Co., to take effect October, 15, 1918.

While I regret more than I can express to sever my relations with your institution, with which I have been intimately associated and identified as Cashier for the last 16 years, having been tendered an important position with the American-Southern National Bank of Louisville, Kentucky, which carries with it a very attractive salary, I feel that it is my duty to myself and those dependent upon me to accept same.

My relation with all of you and the many friends and patrons of this Bank have always been pleasant and I feel that we have reason to congratulate ourselves and view with pride the splendid financial institution which we have built up. I shall always have a personal interest in the success of the Bank and I feel sure that under the wise and conservative management of yourselves, and those whom you may select to have an active charge the Bank will continue to grow and prosper as it deserves to do.

Very sincerely yours,

John D. Shaw,  
Cashier, Farmers Bank & Trust Co.

## CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank Mr. Ford and son for the kindness and help given to us when our buggy turned over on the Hill above Patesville, and fractured Mr. Gibson's shoulder. Respectfully,

Mrs. H. J. Gibson  
Mrs. A. J. Keys  
Lodiburg, Ky.

## MAN WHO FAILS TO BUY BONDS IS BEING FOUND OUT, MARKED

Stigma Will Remain Upon the Slack-  
ers Long After the War  
Is Over.

One by one the men who have refused and are refusing to buy Liberty Bonds are being found out. They had an easier time of it when the first two loan drives were under way. The country was not in such deadly earnest about this war as it is now. We were taking for granted that everyone who could would be glad to buy a bond and buy just as many as possible.

People did not look as closely for the button on the coat and for the Liberty Loan flag in the window as they are looking now. This man who walks the streets now without some visible sign and emblem that he is a bond purchaser is followed by eyes that grow angry as they watch him. The house in any neighborhood that is without a bond flag in its window is a marked house. People stare at it curiously. They eye it resentfully.

Won't Be Forgotten.  
The bond slacker is a marked man in any community. He is being remembered by his neighbors. Nor will his sins against patriotism and loyalty be soon forgotten. The memories of this war will live a long time. It is always so with wars and what comes after them. He will be pointed out as long as he lives. The memory of his failure and his weakness will be held against his children.

There are some places where the man who fails to buy is being ostracized by his neighbors and his old friends. If they know he is able to buy they are not asking for his reasons. Reasons are not asked. It is sufficient that a man failed when his time came, when the opportunity was offered.

With the whole nation working as it never worked before to raise the most gigantic war loan in all history, the man who does not buy is finding it harder than ever to hide his shortcomings. He is being found out and in the vast majority of cases the proper punishment is being applied by those around him.

## Both Quality and Quantity.

Hardinsburg, Oct. 14. (Special)—Charles Bessell, a Hardinsburg farmer brought to this city last week 21 sweet potatoes weighing 91 lbs. an average of 4 1-3 lbs. to each potato. They were all raised on his farm.

## Editor Gets A Treat.

Mr. Ed. Pate, who has a farm near Cloverport, favored the editor of the Breckinridge News with two large white Heath peaches, the first and only ones of their kind to have been seen this fall. Mr. Pate has a tree with just six peaches on it and he generously shared them with Mr. Babbage.

## AN ENJOYABLE TIME.

The dance given by Mr. and Mrs. Jos. A. Ballman, October 4th in honor of their sons, Jos. Jr., and Lawrence Ballman was attended by a large number of guests, who report a very enjoyable time. The music was furnished by the McCoy and Robinson string band.

## Howard And West Point

Depots Merged.  
Frankfort, Ky. Oct. 12. (Special)—The State Railroad Commission granted on Oct. 12, permission for the Louisville, Henderson & St. Louis R. R. to merge the depots at Howard and West Point. The commission met at the Seelbach, Louisville last Friday.

## Traveling Restaurant Brings Meals to Homes.

A community kitchen has been established in New York, where meals are prepared and served to patrons in their home right on time and piping hot. George F. Paul, in an illustrated article in the November Popular Mechanics Magazine, tells an interesting story of the development of this enterprise, which will be a boon to many householders, especially at the present time, when so many women are engaged in war-service work.

## CLOVERPORT'S LIBERTY LOAN HONOR ROLL

74 Persons Have Subscribed  
For Bonds Through The  
Local Bank.

There are seventy-six names on the Fourth Liberty Loan Honor Roll which hangs conspicuously in the lobby of the Breckinridge-Bank of Cloverport.

The list includes seventy-four persons, one business concern and one lodge. The names are as follows:

E. S. McAfee, Henry Tate, Jesse Dent, Weddings Drug Store, Abner Dent, Miss Jane Waggoner, John W. Farber, E. F. Nolte, Miss Eloise Nolte, J. C. Nolte, Mrs. J. C. Nolte, A. N. Couch, Mrs. Conrad Sipple, John L. Wood, Royal Arch Chapter No. 99, John Weisenberg, Allen Jennings, B. Squires, J. R. Bandy, Miss Lizzie Blake, Frank Smith, Emily L. Reid, C. S. Jackson, Eldred Babbage, Margaret Wroe, Julia Wroe, Mrs. Rena Wroe, Nellie Haffey, C. G. Brabant, Mrs. W. C. Pate, H. M. Behen, Ralph Berry, Mrs. Ethel O. Hills, Earl R. Clark, Mrs. Margaret Overton, Jesse R. Bohler, Louise Nicholas, David B. Phelps, Richard Richards, W. H. Bowmer, Mrs. W. H. Bowmer, Richard V. Pate, Mrs. T. S. Nicholas, Marion Weatherholt, Leonard Weatherholt, Ernest Popham, F. P. Payne, F. F. Dean, J. F. Plank, Dr. B. H. Parish, Mrs. J. D. Babbage, Mrs. Jno. M. Beavin, Roy Sixx, Mrs. Cornelia Fraize, J. D. Seaton, Fred November, Joe Bishop, Mrs. J. H. Rowland, B. T. Fields, Mrs. S. V. Conrad, T. A. Carter, Anne Crenshaw Phelps, Conrad Simmons, Margaret B. Burn, Jeanette W. Burn, Eunice Wheeler, E. F. Carter, Mrs. Stephen Wilson, Bertie Cordrey, Mrs. Shelby Pate, Mrs. F. C. Ferry, Mrs. W. H. Thurman, June V. Carter, Patrick Miller, Ray Lewis Heyser, Edith Burn.

## The Honorable Order.

The Briton: Since the King has been honoring your military men you Yanks will be able to boast of a few Knights of the Bath.

The Yank: We've always had 'em —Saturday nights.—Cartoons Magazine.

## Birth Announcement.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Galloway are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a 10 pound boy Monday, Oct. 7, and has been named Arthur DeHaven Galloway. Young Mr. Galloway's father is the new Superintendent of the Cloverport Public School.

## LABOR NEEDED TO SAVE CAMP KNOX FOR STATE

Emergency Causes Summary  
Notice From Authorities  
At Washington.

DRAFT MAY COME IF  
VOLUNTEERS FAIL.

State-wide Calls Sent Out To  
Lend Aid For Speeding  
Up Work.

State wide calls have gone to save Camp Henry Knox at Stithon for Kentucky. The authorities at Washington have served notice on Kentucky that if they cannot produce the necessary laborers to complete the work at Stithon before cold weather sets in the permanent artillery camp, representing an investment of probably \$20,000,000, will be withdrawn from the state entirely.

Immediately upon receipt of these advices the state officials got busy and are sending out calls to all individuals and business organizations, pointing out the emergency and frankly declaring that if Kentucky carpenters and laborers do not volunteer for the work, a forcible draft must be made effective at once on non-essentials industries.

## ULTIMATUM ISSUED!

Work at Camp Knox has dragged for lack of men and winter time is now approaching with thousands of the soldiers still in tents at Camp Taylor and West Point. The Ultimatum is that barracks to hold not less than 30,000 men and stables for 15,000 animals must be completed by December 1. It is the belief of the Kentucky authorities that even more is possible and that enough workmen can be secured to erect buildings that will accommodate possibly 50,000 men with stables accommodation for 30,000 animals. This is the present patriotic determination.

Pratt Dale, Federal Director of the United States Employment Service immediately issued a public notice, sent broadcast throughout Kentucky, telling just what the state was up against. He called a meeting of various interests, including John Griffiths & Son Company, builders of the Camp for the government, Major W. H. Radcliffe, constructing quartermaster in charge, and organized an intensive campaign that is destined to reach into every city and hamlet of Kentucky.

## AUTHORITY FOR DRAFT.

"Every man and every business organization," said Mr. Dale "must realize that this is an emergency that calls for immediate action. Under the authority given us from Washington if the men in sufficient numbers do not volunteer their services we must draft them from non-essential industries. It is up to the employers of laborers throughout Kentucky immediately to displace men in their employment with women and recommend their employees to enter the service at Camp Knox."

Major W. H. Radcliffe, constructing quartermaster at Camp Knox, has also appealed to the people of Kentucky to volunteer for service. "Every nail you drive," says Major Radcliffe in a ringing message to workmen, "every brick you lay, every bit of real work done will add to the growing loads around the Kaiser's neck. The war won't wait."

## WOMEN APPEALED TO.

Women are asked to take a leading part in the campaign for volunteers to prepare the quarters for soldiers. "If it is not your own son who must be housed at Camp Knox this winter," the call reads, "it is the boy of some other mother—all of them training to protect our liberty in the great fight for freedom. Provided the men do not volunteer for this well paid and necessary patriotic work, it is the duty of every loyal Kentucky woman to report them to the nearest United States Employment Service just as they would a Hun spy or an army slacker."

It is to the woman of the state to show the men that it is their duty to volunteer for work at Camp Knox and to take their places during their absence.

All of the organizations interested in the construction of Camp Knox have agreed upon C. C. Quinlan as director of emergency employment and the details of organizing the State and procuring workmen are in his hands.